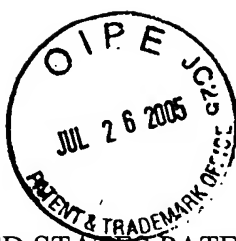


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Applicant: Kurt Nygren et al.
Patent No.: 6,886,196
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For: Bed Rail With Fold Controller

REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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Certificate
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Sir:

This is a request for a Certificate of Correction under 37 C.F.R. §1.322. The enclosed Certificate of Correction is directed to a mistake of a clerical or typographical nature. The correction would not constitute new matter or require re-examination.

Claim 3 in the patent depends from claim 1 and should depend from claim 2. It is requested that claim 3 be corrected to depend from claim 2. Attached is a copy of the examiner's summary of the interview on 10/22/04 wherein it is stated that "claim 3 now properly depends on claim 2". Issuance of the Certificate of Correction is hereby requested.

No fee appears to be due, nevertheless it is requested that any necessary fee, be charged, or any overpayment being credited, to the Account of Barnes & Thornburg, Deposit Account No. 10-0435 (20341-73572).

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In claim 3, line 1, "The bed rail of claim 1" should be "The bed rail of claim 2".

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Interview Summary

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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(3) _____.

(2) MR LAZARUS

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 10/22/04

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 3.

Identification of prior art discussed: NONE

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: CLAIM 3 NOW PROPERLY APPROPRIATE ON CLAIM 2

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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